

In claim 7, line 1, replace "any one of claims 4 to 6" with --claim 4--.

In claim 8, line 1, replace "any one of claims 4 to 7" with --claim 4--.

In claim 9, line 1, replace "any one of claims 1 to 3" with --claim 1--.

In claim 10, line 1, replace "any one of claims 1 to 3" with --claim 1--.

In claim 11, line 1, replace "any one of claims 1 to 3" with --claim 1--.

In claim 12, line 1, replace "any one of claims 1 to 3" with --claim 1--.

REMARKS

Applicants have amended the dependency of the claims to remove all multiple dependencies and to preclude a rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, fifth paragraph, which provides in part that "[a] multiple dependent claim shall not serve as a basis for any other multiple dependent claim." These amendments add no new matter. Applicants have also added subheadings preferred for U.S. applications.

Claims 1-12 are now pending, however applicants intend to file a second preliminary amendment.